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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) **CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371**

U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5)

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1.		This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.						
2.	\boxtimes	This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.						
3.		This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)) at any time rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. 37 (b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1).						
4.		A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination was made by the 19th month from the earliest claimed priority date.						
5.		A copy of th	ne Internation	al Application as published (35 U.S.C.	371(c)(2))			
		a. 🔲 is	transmitted h	erewith (required only if not transmitte	d by the International Bureau).			
		b. 🔲 ha	s been transn	nitted by the International Bureau.				
1		c. 🗌 is	not required,	as the application was filed in the Unit	ed States Receiving Office (RO/US).			
6.		A translation of the published International Application into English (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).						
7.		Amendment	s to the claim	s of the International Application unde	PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))			
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		c. 🗌 ha	ve not been n	nade; however, the time limit for maki	g such amendments has NOT expired.			
		d. 🔲 ha	ve not been n	nade and will not be made.				
8.		A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)).						

9. \boxtimes An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).

10. A translation of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36

An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.197 and 1.98 11.

An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is 12. \boxtimes included.

13. A FIRST preliminary amendment.

A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.

14. A substitute specification.

A change of power of attorney and/or address letter. 15.

16. \boxtimes Other items or information:

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